

PATENT
Docket No.110.01290101

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): O'SULLIVAN)	Group Art Unit:	1651
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Serial No.: 09/884,894)	Examiner:	D.K. Ware
Confirmation No.: 1710)		
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Filed: June 19, 2001)		
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For: BIFIDOBACTERIA AND SIDEROOPHORES PRODUCED THEREBY AND			
For: METHODS OF USE			

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 20, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on the page entitled "Amendments to the Claims."

Remarks begin on the page entitled "Remarks."